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J. R. RACE & CO.'S SEVENTH ANNUAL Free Gift Distribution.

Every purchaser of \$5 Worth of Merchandise for cash from our large and well selected stock of Clothing, Merchant Tailoring, Gent's Fine Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Etc., will be entitled to ONE CHANCE in the following Gifts:

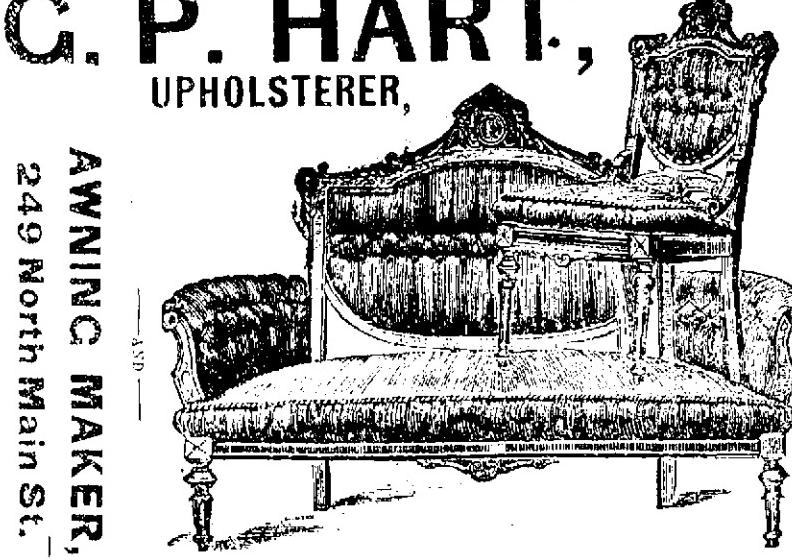
One \$30 Humber Iron Fellow Farm Wagon, for sale by D. F. Hamsher, 131 and 133 East Wood Street.
One \$5 practical Business Road Cart, intended for general purposes, manufactured by Wayne & Anderson, manuf'rs of Champion Road Carts.
One \$10 Sowing Machine.
One 100 pieces Glass Table Set from E. D. Bartholomew & Co., dealers in Glassware, Quisenberry, Toys, etc.
One Haworth Check Rower, manufactured by Haworth & Sons.
One \$20 Man's Ulster Overcoat.
One \$15 Morrison & Brown Plow, for sale by Leavitt & Royal, dealers in Agricultural Implements, V. H. Park's old stand.
One \$15 Man's Spring Overcoat.
One \$15 Man's Sack Suit.
One \$15 Youth's Suit.
One \$12 Youth's Overcoat.
One \$10 Rattan Rocker, from Dustman & Myer, dealers in Fine Furniture.
One \$10 Zinc Trunk.
One \$10 Illinois Clothes Washer, manufactured by Boyd Braden & Co.
One \$10 Pair Pants to order.
One \$10 Fine Accordion from O. B. Prescott, the Music Dealer. [The celebrated Haines Bros. Pianos always in stock.
One \$10 Silver Tea Pot from O. E. Curtis & Co., Leading Jewelers.
One \$10 Boy's Suit.
One Fine Celluloid Set, from Henry Smith, Druggist.
One Fine Meerschaum Pipe and Box Cigars from Fred Norman's celebrated Ten Chair Barber Shop.
One \$5 Gent's Fine Vest.
One \$5 Child's Suit.
One \$5 Silk Umbrella.
One Pair Fine Nickel Plated Crown Roller Skates, manufactured by Crown Roller Skate Co., 220 East Main Street.
One \$6 Silk Hat.
One Barrel Flour from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
One Fine Cloth Bag Valve and Strap.
One \$5 Pant Pant.
One Barrel Flour from D. S. Shellabarger & Co.
One \$5 Child's Kilt Suit.
One \$5 Child's Overcoat.
Twenty-five Prizes, each consisting of one Bronze Ornamental Clock.

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Buy Five Dollars' worth of merchandise from us and get a ticket. Deal with us and you will be convinced that we are the Leading Clothiers, Merchant Tailors, Gent's Fine Furnishers and Hatters in Central Illinois.

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I have the largest assortment of Upholstering goods in the city, all kinds of goods for making mattresses, and machinery for making old ones over. Old furniture made over in any style desired, and all kinds of furniture repaired.

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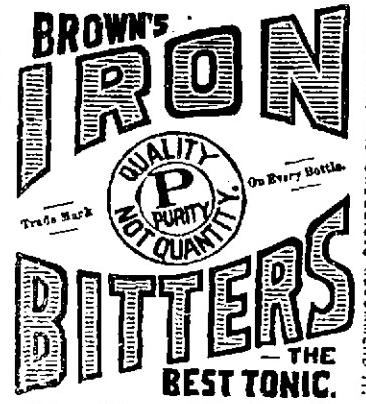
May 14, 1884—New York.

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Spec. attention given to the defense of insurance companies and Civil Business, solicited, and Collections made in any part of the United States.

June 28—New York.



OLD-FASHIONED WHIPPING.
The Qualifications of a Public School Teacher in the Far West.

A teacher, whose school was in the far West, furnishes the following account of his examination by the director of the district:

"You ever gradyated?"

"No, sir."

"Glad of it! Gradyates don't half know beans when their head's in the bag. Ever studied 'stronomy'?"

"No, sir, never."

"Big fool if you bad. Ever go nosing round studyin' the glory of a country-bomby, they call it?"

"Never, sir."

"You couldn't teach young uns o' mine if you hed. They was a crank here once tryin' to make us believe they was such things as male and female plants. Most o' them thought we hadn't no sense. Do you go to summer?"

"I think it's a good deal study."

"I think it's a pack o' stuff and clutterbox! Don't callate ter buy my boys' gals talk by rule an' rate, an' min' things up tel they ain't no sense in 'em. Do you feel 'way much time on technology?"

"Physiology? Yes, I think it an excellent thing for boys and girls to study."

"Well, I ain't so awful set agin' that. I reckon it's a good thing ter know what ter do when one busts a blood-vessel or breaks a leg. Taint much use to gals, though. They would do nothing but set up a yell in either dilemma, not if they was shock o' feathers. Do you go on what they call fizzygometry?"

"I do not teach it."

"He hadn't better. A man did once. He bearded with me fast week, an' I ketched him up on his fizzygometry. My woman had fell down stair, an' raised a terrible bump on her head. I got this smartly to mappin' out her character from her buns, an' he said the welt she got fallin' was combative ness unusually developed. He meant fightin' strength. Wy, she could o' whaled a lion if hed been so, an' here she's so delikit it clean quackets 'er out ter hit the hind end of the waggin when I'm a-takin' on o' it. Kin you spell elow through the waggin?"

"No, sir. I am not a good speller."

"Haint? Better brush up than thou, or some o' our youngsters'll lay down ye. That's their main boit. How are you on biggers?"

"Very good, I think. I can teach anything you would care to have taught there, even to higher algebra."

"Algebra! we ain't no use for algebra-here! Some men blat 'way bout a skallin' b or x, who could'st say the multiplication table backwards fer save 'em. Could you haul off yet coat an' vest, crack yer fists, an' larn a six-footer to a youngster he was ten be sassy at you?"

"I would try to punish a very rebellious boy."

"Well, I'll give ye a chance. We Uteve in good old fashioned copper whalin' here. No soft sawdwin' ill do in fit o' it. Learn the youngsters good horse-sense, an' do 'way with all toldo-rol. Learn 'em the valy o' time an' money, an' how to figger, write, read an' spell, an' then turn 'em loose to paddle their own canoe, sez I!"

Youth's Companion.

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Has preserved the lives of great numbers of persons, by arresting the development of Lung Disease, Consumption, and Pulmonary Consumption, and by the cure of those dangerous maladies. It should be kept ready for use in every family where there are children, as it is a medicine which is easily administered to all ages, and is of great service in the treatment of Croup, and the alleviation of Whooping Cough, and the cure of Colds and Inflammations, particularly Induced by Inhalation. This preparation is of infinite value in dealing with all diseases of this class, of the most imminent importance. The loss of a single day may, in many cases, cost a family its existence, and we would caution those that are experimenting with medicines of doubtful efficacy, while the malady is constantly gaining a deeper hold, but take at once the speediest and most certain to cure.

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Up again and ready for the Spring Season,

FLEURY

The French Cutter,

With a full line of new Spring Goods, the latest styles.

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THE ARROW SHIRT.

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Perfect fit and satisfaction guaranteed to everybody.

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Causes no Pain.

Gives Relief at once.

Thorough Treatment.

Cure not a Lid.

uid or Snuff. Apply into nostrils.

Give it a Trial.

50 cents at Druggists, 60 cents by mail reg.

Send for circular.

ELY'S CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, Oswego, N. Y.

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CANDEE

Rubber BOOTS

WITH DOUBLE THICK BALL.

Ordinary Rubber Boots always wear out before the ball. The CANDEE Rubber Boots are made of the finest leather, and the ball, or heel, is made of the best leather, and gives double wear.

DOUBLE THICK BALL.

Most economical Rubber Boot in the market.

Last longer than any other boot.

PRICE NO HIGHER.

Call and examine the goods.

A COMMON SENSE IDEA.

DOUBLE THICK BALL.

FOR SALE BY

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can be had at this place in RAG and CHAIN CARPETS.

I am adding constantly new patterns of my own make. My former patrons testify to their superiority, and the carpets made in proportion to the amount of chain used. I can show a few of some new carpets at my saleroom, 100 Water street, up-stairs. Carpets made to order on short notice. \$5 and upwards, in proportion to amount of chain used.

Take a look at my new patterns.

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John J. Mulligan's back building, upstairs.

Up-stairs, Readings No. 49 North Main St., Decatur, Illinoian.

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DECATOR'S NEW CARPET FACTORY

Lancaster Carpet Factory, of Pa.

Great Bargains

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Please take a look and see.

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